

TAKE FIRST LOOK AT BUDGET TO-MORROW

Finance Committee Will Meet to Consider Demands of Various City Departments.

PRINTING OF THE REPORTS

Officials Will Not Be Allowed to Revise Them Hereafter.

The municipal schedule for this week consists mainly of scattering business of the various committees who are engaged in an effort to conclude pending measures before the end of the month. Possibly the most important meeting of the week will be that of the Finance Committee to-morrow night, when a preliminary look will be taken at the budget. All those departments which have not yet filed their estimates for the coming year have been notified by the sergeant-at-arms to speak now or forever hereafter hold their peace.

The city's expert board of jobholders, otherwise known as the special committee on legislative affairs, will meet to-morrow at noon to consider further some of the matters affecting Richmond's interests before the General Assembly. The committee on Printing and Claims is also down for to-morrow at 8 P. M.

On Tuesday there will be meetings of the Committees on Streets, Annexed Territory, and Electricity, and a subcommittee on Water, all at 8 P. M.

On Wednesday the Committee on Local Assessments meets at 8 P. M. in military state.

Thursday the Board of Aldermen meets in adjourned session at 8 o'clock, and the general Committee on Water sits at the same hour.

On Friday the Committee on Ordinance, Charter and Reform has the right of way at 8 o'clock.

Investigate Bell Company.
The meeting of the Electricity Committee to-morrow night will attract more than usual attention, as chairman Satterfield has issued an invitation to all citizens who have complaints against the Telephone Company to come forth and air them. The investigation of the hello service is in response to Alderman Bennett's resolution, and of course, will be open to the public.

Another public hearing, at which a number of citizens will present their views will be held on Friday night before the Ordinance Committee, when the proposed new building code will be up for consideration. Inspector Henry P. Beck has personally invited all builders and contractors in the city to be present, and a number of architects will produce a series of regulations fair and equitable in their provision, as well as agreeable to the demands of the public.

About City Reports.

Steps have been taken by the Committee on Printing and Claims to abate a nuisance which at times bordered on a public scandal. In that the reports of the various departments of the city government have not been made public for from three to a year after they were filed. The charge was made by the Mayor a year ago that owing to this dilatory method the reports were practically worthless. The committee, after a year's investigation, has issued a charge which has never been denied. The custom has grown up of allowing the heads of departments to submit their annual reports to the Mayor, and through him to the Council, and without being read the paper is practically lost. The committee has decided to have the reports printed and distributed to the various departments, but to deliver the work according to copy furnished, with the least possible delay. Contractors have been notified by the committee that hereafter they will be expected to live strictly up to their contracts in the matter of delivery. Last year reports which should have been received from the contracting printers not later than April 1st were not in hand until late in December, and a date were of comparatively little value.

TO BUILD HOME HERE

Bishop Van de Vyver to Address Meeting of K. of C. This Afternoon.

As a result of the extraordinary growth of the order in Richmond, the local branch of the Knights of Columbus, which now numbers more than 200 members, feels the want of a permanent hall and meeting room.

Bishop Van de Vyver is taking much interest in the movement, and has requested the grand knight, Mr. James S. Patterson, to call a meeting for the purpose of outlining plans. The meeting will be held this afternoon at 6 o'clock in Cathedral Hall, and the bishop is expected to offer some practical suggestions on the subject. The plan is to have, in connection with the hall, club rooms for the enjoyment of the members.

LONG JAIL TERM

Rosa Robinson and Addie Johnson Get More Than Two Years.

Addie Johnson and Rosa Robinson, two of the slickest articles in the colored line known to the police, were before Justice Crutchfield yesterday morning to answer to the charge of obtaining a lot of money from Alexander Fossett under false pretenses. They were sentenced to six months in jail on each of five charges, making a total of thirty months, which they will be forced to spend by the sleepy shoemaker. The contract was made by the printer, who was paid for the printing of the report, and the printer was expected to live strictly up to their contracts in the matter of delivery. Last year reports which should have been received from the contracting printers not later than April 1st were not in hand until late in December, and a date were of comparatively little value.

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